

## *Neohelix dentifera* (Big-tooth Whitelip)

### Priority 3 Species of Greatest Conservation Need (SGCN)

**Class:** *Gastropoda* (Aquatic And Terrestrial Snails)  
**Order:** *Stylommatophora* (Air-breathing Snails Land Snails)  
**Family:** *Polygyridae* (Air-breathing Land Snails)

**General comments:** none

### No Species Conservation Range Maps Available for Big-tooth Whitelip

### SGCN Priority Ranking - Designation Criteria:

**Risk of Extirpation:** NA

**State Special Concern or NMFS Species of Concern:** NA

**Recent Significant Declines:** NA

**Regional Endemic:** NA

**High Regional Conservation Priority:** NA

**High Climate Change Vulnerability:** NA

**Understudied rare taxa:**

Recently documented or poorly surveyed rare species for which risk of extirpation is potentially high (e.g. few known occurrences) but insufficient data exist to conclusively assess distribution and status. \*criteria only qualifies for Priority 3 level SGCN\*

Notes:

There has not been a project specifically targeting larger land snails in under-sampled regions or habitats in Maine.

**Historical:** NA

**Culturally Significant:** NA

### Habitats Assigned to Big-tooth Whitelip:

| Formation Name       | Northeastern Upland Forest                                      |
|----------------------|---|
| Macrogroup Name      | Central Oak-Pine  |
| Habitat System Name: | Central Oak-Pine Macrogroup - Unknown Habitat System            |
| Macrogroup Name      | Northern Hardwood & Conifer                                     |
| Habitat System Name: | Northern Hardwood & Conifer Macrogroup - Unknown Habitat System |

### Stressors Assigned to Big-tooth Whitelip:

No Stressors Currently Assigned to Big-tooth Whitelip or other Priority 3 SGCN.

### Species Level Conservation Actions Assigned to Big-tooth Whitelip:

No Species Specific Conservation Actions Currently Assigned to Big-tooth Whitelip or other Priority 3 SGCN.

### Guild Level Conservation Actions:

This Species is currently not attributed to a guild.

### Broad Taxonomic Group Conservation Actions:

Relevant conservation actions for this species are assigned within broader taxonomic groups in Maine's 2015 Wildlife Action Plan: Element 4, Table 4-1.

### Habitat Based Conservation Actions:

Additional conservation actions that may benefit habitat(s) associated with this species can be found in Maine's 2015 Wildlife Action Plan: Element 4, Table 4-15. Click on the Habitat Grouping of interest to launch a habitat based report summarizing

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relevant conservation actions and associated SGCN.

*The Wildlife Action Plan was developed through a lengthy participatory process with state agencies, targeted conservation partners, and the general public. The Plan is non-regulatory. The species, stressors, and voluntary conservation actions identified in the Plan complement, but do not replace, existing work programs and priorities by state agencies and partners.*